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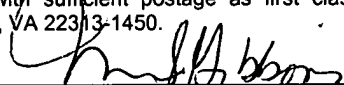
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This is in response to the Office Action dated December 23, 2003. Upon entry of the proposed amendment, claims 1 to 3, 5, and 10 to 12 will be pending, and claims 4, 6-9 and 13-20 will be cancelled and pursued in a divisional application.